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AMENDMENT UNDER RULE §1.312

Dear Sir:

The following Amendments and Remarks are submitted for entry into the application filed on August 3, 2005, Patent Application S/N 11/196,693. This Amendment Under Rule 1.312 is submitted concurrently with the Issue Fee in the above-identified case. Entry of this amendment is respectfully requested.

No Amendments to the Specification or Drawings are presented in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on **page 2** of this paper.

Remarks begin on **page 10** of this paper.